(a) and (b) Cement Corporation of India (CCI) is a sick company under reference to Board for Industrial and Financial Reconstruction (BIFR), a quasi-judicial body. As no credible and viable revival plan emerged, BIFR, in its meeting held on 27.3.2001 directed IFCI, the Operating Agency (OA) to undertake the sale of CCI as a whole or its plants, individually or collectively. SBI Caps has been engaged as the Merchant Banker for this purpose. CCI is a non-strategic PSU. Out of its ten units, only three units *viz.* Tandur in Andhra Pradesh, Bokajan in Assam and Rajban in Himachal Pradesh are operational at present. The remaining seven units *viz.* Mandhar (Chhattisgarh), Akaltara (Chhattisgarh), Charkhi Dadri (Haryana), Nayagaon (Madhya Pradesh), Delhi Cement Grinding Unit (Delhi), Kurkunta (Karnataka) and Adilabad (Andhra Pradesh) of the Company have been non-operational for a long time due to various reasons including the severe liquidity crunch. Government have also decided that in the event of sale not materializing in the case of seven non-operational units, action for their closure will be taken. This would not only save the outgo of the payment of idle wages but also remove any uncertainty in the minds of employees about their future.

(c) In the event of sale/divestment of equity in Central Public Sector Undertakings, adequate safeguards are built into the agreements with the prospective buyers/partners to protect the employees interest on issues relating to general service conditions, retrenchment, VRS etc. In case of closure, the interest of workers will be safeguarded as per Law.

Cable TV operators in West Delhi

4868. SHRI. DARA SINGH CHAUHAN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the names of cable operators operating in West Delhi in general and Janakpuri in particular and the number of consumers registered with each during December 2001;

(b) the rate of entertainment tax per consumer and the total tax deposited by each operator for the month of December, 2001; and

(c) the mechanism in place to check under-reporting of consumers in public interest?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRIMATI SUSHMA SWARAJ): (a) This Ministry does not maintain any record of names/number of cable operators or number of subscribers registered

with each operator. As per information provided by Government of N.C.T. of Delhi, office of the Commissioner of Excise, Entt. & Luxury Tax, 192 cable operators in West Delhi are registered with their Department, as per list attached in a Statement (*see* below). They have further intimated that since the number of subscribers keeps changing from month to month, it is not possible to give their exact number.

(b) As per information provided by the Department referred to in (a) above, rate of Entertainment Tax per consumer is Rs. 20/per month and Rs. 50 per room in hotels having cable connections in rooms. The total tax deposited by Cable operators for the month of December, 2001 is Rs. 37,73,205/-.

(c) Government proposes the introduction of an addressability system, which would also check the under-reporting of consumers.

Statement

List of 192 *Cable Operators in West Delhi registered with the office of the Commissioner of Excise, Entt. and Luxury Tax*

1. M/S ARCY CABLE TV
2. M/S A.S. CABLE NETWORK
3. M/S AMIT VIDEO NETWORK
4. M/S AMBA CABLE VISION
5. M/S ARTI CABLE TV
6. M/S BHATIA CABLE
7. M/S BITTY CABLE
8. M/S BITTO CABLE NETWORK
9. M/S BALAJI
10. M/S BLUE STAR
11. M/S BHATNAGAR CABLE
12. M/S BHATIA CABLE NET
13. M/S BEHL CABLE NETWORK
14. M/S CRYSTAL CABLE
15. M/S COSMOS CABLE NETWORK
16. M/S CHABRA CABLE NET
17. M/S CHAUDHARY CABLE

18. M/S AIDES
19. M/S KUMAR CABLE NET
20. M/S KRYSTON VISION
21. M/S K.R. NETWORK
22. M/S KUMAR NETWORK
23. M/S LOVELY CABLE TV
24. M/S LUCKY CABLE NETWORK
25. M/S LBO CABLE TV NETWORK
26. M/S LBO CABLE TV NETWORK
27. M/S LUCKY CABLE NETWORK
28. M/S MULTIVISION CABLE
29. M/S HALLOW ELECTRONICS
30. M/S MAYUR CABLE VIDEO
31. M/S MASTER CABLE
32. M/S MOVIETRONIC COMMN.
33. M/S MALIK CABLE NETWORK
34. M/S MULTISAT VISION
35. M/S MICROWAVE
36. M/S MAHAK CABLE NETWORK
37. M/S CABLE VISION NET
38. M/S ENTERTAINMENT
39. M/S ESS CABLE NETWORK
40. M/S FIVE STAR CABLE NETWORK
41. M/S GALAXY CABLE, TILAK NGR
42. M/S GURUNANAK CABLE, PASCHIM VIHAR
43. M/S G. CATVISTA
44. M/S GLOBE VISION
45. M/S H.K. SHARMA
46. M/S HOME VIDEO
47. M/S HINDUSTAN CABLE
48. M/S AMPRAPALI
49. M/S JAIAMBEE CABLE

50. M/S JAGDAMBA CABLE
51. M/S JAIN CABLE NETWORK
52. M/S J.K. CABLE
53. M/S JAGGU CABLE NETWORK
54. M/S NEW TOWER VISION
55. M/S NAVJOT CABLE NET
56. M/S NICE CABLE TV
57. M/S N.M. CABLE TV
58. M/S M.B. NETWORK
59. M/S ONE WORL CABLE
60. M/S OLD-N-NEW DISH CABLE
61. M/S PREM CABLE NETWORK
62. M/S PUSY CAT CABLE
63. M/S PAHWA VIDEO NETWORK
64. M/S PRINCE CABLE NETWORK
65. M/S PLR CABLE NETWORK
66. M/S QUALITY PRODUCTS
67. M/S RAJA CABLE NETWORK
68. M/S ROYAL DISH NETWORK
69. M/S JOLLY CABLE NETWORK
70. M/S RICHA SATVISION
71. M/S STAR CABLE VISION
72. M/S SHAKTI CABLE TV NETWORK
73. M/S M.S. CABLE NETWORK
74. M/S ROSE RISE CABLE TV
75. M/S MAHENDRA SATELLITE
76. M/S VISA CABLE NETWORK
77. M/S ANSHU CABLES
78. M/S BUDHI RAJA CABLE COM.
79. M/S DIKSHA VIDEO VISION
80. M/S GULATI CABLE NETWORK
81. M/S HANDA CABLE NETWORK

82. M/S JAI MAA CABLE NETWORK
83. M/S KUKKU CABLE NETWORK
84. M/S SATT LINKERS
85. M/S CLASSIC HOME AID
86. M/S SHARMA CABLE
87. M/S STAR NETWORK
88. M/S TRECOVISION
89. M/S WORL WATCH
90. M/S CLASSIC CABLE NETWORK
91. M/S MONTY CABLE
92. M/S CHANNEL VIEW
93. M/S NATIONAL CHANNEL
94. M/S RAJU CABLE
95. M/S BADAL CABLE NETWORK
96. M/S SABBY DISH ANTEE
97. M/S ESKAY CABLE
98. M/S TIRANGA CABLE NET
99. M/S SODHI CABLE NETWORK
100. M/S MAHIMA CABLE
101. M/S SHIVAM CABLE
102. M/S MONTOO SHAH CABLE
103. M/S LAMBA CABLE NETWORK
104. M/S SUNSHINE CABLE NET
105. M/S RAJ CABLE
106. M/S SANJAY CABLE NET
107. M/S SUPER VISION
108. M/S SUNITA CABLE
109. M/S SACHDEVA CABLE NET
110. M/S STAR CABLE TV SY
111. M/S SHIVA CABLE NEWS
112. M/S SHOKEEN C.T.V. NET
113. M/S SPACE VISION COM.

114. M/S SODHI CABLE NETWORK
115. M/S SHARMA CABLE NET
116. M/S SRIVISISON CABLE
117. M/S SURINDER CABLE
118. M/S SKYLINE VIDEO CH
119. M/S FAMILY CHANNEL
120. M/S U-LIKE CABLE VI
121. M/S VISHVYA DHARSHA
122. M/S VISHWADARSHAN
123. M/S VIDEO PARADISE
124. M/S VIDEO PALACE CVA
125. M/S VIDEO EXPRESS CA
126. M/S VIJAY CABLE NETWORK
127. M/S VIKAS TANEJA VIS
128. M/S WADHWA CABLE TV
129. M/S WALAIA CABLE NET
130. M/S YADAV CTV NETWORK
131. M/S SHIKHA CABLE NET
132. M/S STAR CABLE TV
133. M/S WORLD VISION CAB
134. M/S J.B. CABLE
135. M/S SATELLITE COMMUNICATION
136. M/S UNIQUE CABLE NET
137. M/S P.P. CABLE T.V. NET
138. M/S WORLD VIDEO
139. M/S SUNNY CABLE NET
140. M/S BLUESTAR CABLE COMMUNICATION
141. M/S INDER ELECTRONIC
142. M/S NOBLE VISION
143. M/S SIVA CABLE
144. M/S AYUSHMAN CABLE

145. M/S SANJAY CABLE NET
146. M/S SURIENDER CABLE
147. M/S RAJENDER CABLE NET
148. M/S CHINKA CABLE
149. M/S CHANNEL FIVE
150. M/S POOJA CABLE
151. M/S CHANNEL
152. M/S SHINE CABLE
153. M/S ADVANCE CABLE
154. M/S RAJINDER CABLE
155. M/S CABLE PROVIDER
156. M/S HOME CABLE NETWORK
157. M/S JAI MATA CABLE
158. M/S SYSTEMS INDIA
159. M/S VISION SYSTEMS
160. M/S VISA CABLE NETWORK
161. M/S VIEWERS CHANNEL
162. M/S VERMA WORLD VISION
163. M/S SATELLITE COMMUNICATION
164. M/S SHIVOY HOME CABLE
165. M/S SKYLINE CABLE
166. M/S TOWER VISION
167. M/S TRINETRA CABLE
168. M/S TRINETRA
169. M/S LEHAR CABLE TVN
170. M/S MALIK CABLE TVN
171. M/S RICHA SATVISION
172. M/S RAJ CABLE
173. M/S SEVEN STAR CABLE
174. M/S SHIVAM CABLE NET
175. M/S SANWAL CABLE TV
176. M/S SANJAY CABLE NET

177. M/S SATELLITE COMMUNICATION
178. M/S CHINKA CABLE
179. M/S CHANNEL FIVE
180. M/S POOJA CABLE
181. M/S CHANNEL FIFTY
182. M/S SHINE CABLE TV
183. M/S ADVANCE CABLE TV
184. M/S RAJINDER CABLE
185. M/S CABLE PROVIDER
186. M/S HOME CABLE NETWORK
187. M/S JAI MATA CABLE
188. M/S SYSTEM INDIA
189. M/S VISION SYSTEM
190. M/S SANJAY CABLE NETWORK
191. M/S SATELLITE COMMUNICATION
192. M/S SWAGAT COMMUNICATION

Outstanding dues of DD against private organisations

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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a number of private organisations owe to Doordarshan;

(b) if so, the details of the amount outstanding as on March, 1999, March, 2000 and 2001 and March, 2002;

(c) the amount recovered by Government, out of the total outstanding amount, during each of the above years; and

(d) the steps taken to recover the remaining dues?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRIMATI SUSHMA SWARAJ): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Prasar Bharati has informed

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.